

The Apostles' Creed

I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of Heaven and Earth; And in Jesus Christ His only Son our Lord; Who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died and buried. He descended into Hell. The third day He arose again from the dead. He ascended into Heaven and is seated at the right hand of God the Father Almighty. He will come again to judge the living and the dead. I believe in the Holy Spirit; the holy universal Church; the Communion of saints; the forgiveness of sins; the resurrection of the body; and the life everlasting. Amen.

The Lord's Prayer

Our Father, Who art in Heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name.
Thy Kingdom come, Thy will be done on earth as it is in Heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread, and forgive us our debts,
as we forgive our debtors. And lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil, For Thine is the kingdom, and the power,
and the glory forever. Amen.

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PLEASE HAVE ALL BULLETIN ANNOUNCEMENTS

in to the office by Wednesday afternoon.

Check us out on Facebook: www.facebook.com/riverviewreformedchurch

You may e-mail messages to the church office at rprc@iw.net

Check out our website at Riverviewreformed.org—

You can view the weekly bulletin and monthly calendar on our web page

*Our Mission:
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strives to be a bonded group
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Riverview Reformed Church

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SUNDAY, October 2, 2022

9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time - 9:30 AM Worship

RRC VISION STATEMENT: Riverview Reformed Church strives to be a bonded group of believers, spreading the Word of our Lord, and showing the Love of Jesus Christ to others by: offering dynamic Christian Education; reaching out to our community; providing facilities for ministry; building an involved closeknit congregation; and providing excellent congregational care.

PRAISE GOD

Prelude

Welcome

Life at RRC/Announcements

(Please sign the attendance pads in the pews)

*Praise Song - "Let It Be Said of Us".

Let it be said of us that the Lord was our passion, That with gladness we bore ev'ry cross we were given. That we fought the good fight, that we finished the course, Knowing within us the pow'r of the risen Lord.

REFRAIN: Let the cross be our glory, and the Lord be our song; By mercy made holy, by the Spirit made strong. Let the cross be our glory, and the Lord be our song; 'Til the likeness of Jesus be through us made known. Let the cross be our glory and the Lord be our song.

Let it be said of us, we were marked by forgiveness, We were known by our love, and delighted in meekness. We were ruled by His peace, heeding unity's call, Joined as one body that Christ would be seen by all *REFRAIN...*

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*Praise Song - "We Are So Blessed"

We are so blessed by the gifts from Your hand, I just can't understand why You've loved us so much. We are so blessed, we just can't find a way or the words that can say, Thank You Lord, for Your touch. When we're empty You fill us 'til we overflow, When we're hungry You feed us and cause us to know; We are so blessed, Take what we have to bring; Take it all, ev'rything, Lord, we love You so much.

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*Praise Song - "In Christ Alone"

In Christ alone my hope is found; he is my light, my strength, my song—this cornerstone, this solid ground, firm through the fiercest drought and storm. What heights of love, what depths of peace, when fears are stilled, when strivings cease. My comforter, my all in all, here in the love of Christ I stand.

No guilt in life, no fear in death, this is the power of Christ in me; from life's first cry to final breath, Jesus commands my destiny. No power of hell, no human plan, can ever pluck me from his hand; 'til he returns or calls me home, here in the power of Christ I'll stand!

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*Opening Prayer

*Hymn #32 "Blessed Be the Name" (Red Hymnal)

Scripture Lesson - Genesis 12:1-3

Ministry in Music - The Adult Choir "Cathedral of Praise"

Presentation of Bibles

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HEAR THE WORD OF GOD

Pastoral Prayer /Lord's Prayer

Scripture Lesson - Ephesians 2:11-22

MESSAGE :

"Unified in Peace"

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GIVE TO GOD

OFFERING, Our Response to God's Love

*Doxology (front cover of hymnbook)

*Offertory Prayer

GO WITH GOD AND SERVE

*Closing Hymn #284 "Sweet Peace, the Gift of God's Love" (Red Hymnal)

*Benediction

*Choral Benediction - "Go Now In Peace"

Go now in peace, Never be afraid. God will go with you each hour of ev'ry day. Go now in faith, steadfast, strong and true. Know He will guide you in all you do. Go now in love, and show you believe. Reach out to others so all the world can see. God will be there watching from above. Go now in peace, in faith, and in love.

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Postlude

**PLEASE STAND IF YOU ARE ABLE*

ORGANIST: Bobbi Jo Carr

PIANIST: Patty Stuelpnagel

LAY LEADER: Alan Egge

GREETERS: Rempps & Dorothea Hoebelheinrich

HYVEE CARDS: Colleen Palmer

OPEN/CLOSE: Colleen Palmer

WELCOME!!

THANK YOU for being here this morning!! It was a joy being with you!

A Children's Worship Bulletin is on the foyer table for any younger children to use during the Worship Service.

A nursery is available down the hallway past the water fountain for young children to use during the morning worship.

When two of you get together on anything at all on earth and make a prayer of it, my father in heaven goes into action. And when two or three of you are together because of me, you can be sure that I'll be there." Matthew 18:20 (the Message)

God will be speaking to you today...but not by cell phone.

Please turn your phones off or set to vibrate during the worship service

Due to viruses if you feel uncomfortable with a handshake, please give a friendly wave to avoid spreading any unwanted germs, use the available hand sanitizers, wash your hands, cough into your elbow, dispose of any used tissues. Please be considerate of those around you, to avoid any extra germ exposure.

PRE-SERVICE PRAYER TIME We have our pre-service prayer time on Sunday mornings at 9:15 AM before the Worship Service, meeting in the Adult Sunday School Room area. All are welcome to join in prayer for the service, for those who help in the service, and for God's word to be heard.

Please Remember although we aren't passing the offering plates, you can still send your offerings to the church thru the mail, bring them at any time and slip them in the mail slot of the door on the south west corner of the sanctuary (behind the piano area), or you can ask one of the deacons about the new on-line giving site <https://tithe.ly/widget/v3/give.js?3> which is also available on the church website

You can see RRC Church Services broadcast on your Public Access Channels in Yankton on Saturday evenings at 7:00 PM.

Family Education and Counseling Center Raffle Fundraiser

This is a "reverse raffle", meaning the LAST ticket drawn is the big winner. Raffle tickets are \$20 each, with a chance to win prizes from \$50-\$500. Drawing will be held by December 1. FECC is no longer United Way supported, so this is just a way to help with expenses and payroll, so the counselors can provide low cost/no cost counseling to people who need it. Tickets are available from Kevin DeJong (an FECC Board member) or from the FECC office (Becky Frank or Michaela Miller). Thank you for your support.

September 12 CONSISTORY

Our devotions for this month came from Nehemiah 2:11-20, where we explored the need for willingness to hear and obey God, strong leadership, weather opposition and the ability to face our fears as the people of God rebuilt the walls of Jerusalem and as we consider the future of RRC.. The Elders reflected on the questions we ask ourselves each month about how our members are and who have reached out to, which led to a conversation of about who are our members and the role accountability will play in the Alliance and in the future of our church. We also moved communion from Oct 2 to the 9th. The Deacons stated that the checking balance is \$9055.18 with only \$3376 left to pay off our loan. The Deacons also discussed a work day for Oct. 1 to paint some trim and to do some landscaping. The mission of the month is Sack Pack and meals certificates have been give to Pathways and to church for people in need of meals. There was also discussion of a high water bill, getting a Knox box for church and fixes done to the roof. As a Consistory, we approved new By-Laws that will be voted on in the Congregational Meeting in November, where we will also be voting for new Elders and Deacons

T.E.C. (Teens Encounter Christ) Weekend, November 11 –13, 2022 and March 24-26, 2023 at Calvary Baptist in Yankton, for candidates thru their Freshman year in high school, through the year after high school graduation. Cost for the weekend is \$48. Applications for the November 11-13 are available by the drinking fountain by the offices.

Dueling Pianos Fundraiser for Inspiration Hills Camp & Retreat Center - Saturday, October 22 at the Bethany Reformed Church in Canton, SD. Dinner is at 5:30 PM with Dueling Pianos at 6:15 PM. Tickets are \$30 per person and can be purchased by contacting Inspiration Hills at inspirationhills.org/fundraiser. Don't miss out on a fun, fast paced musical, and comedy entertainment by Dueling Pianos International! Enjoy an unforgettable night with two incredibly talented musicians playing your favorite songs on their grand pianos.

Please consider helping with the following:

**Help with live-stream/power point. If you are interested in helping or have questions with streaming and sound board, we ask you to please contact Dan Sanow or Todd Carr.

**Opening/Closing Church building If you are interested, please sign the sheet on the foyer table, and we'll get you on the next rotation schedule. If you have questions, please talk with an Elder, Pastor Jake, or Teresa.

**Help appreciated with selling HyVee Cards We are looking for volunteers to help sell HyVee cards again before/after church services. Please sign your name to the sheet in the foyer, and we'll get a rotation schedule started.

**Serving treats/goodies after church - sign up sheet on the foyer table.

Scripture for the week:

Psalm 126:3 The Lord has done great things for us; and we are filled with joy.

RIVERVIEW REFORMED CHURCH ~CELEBRATING 60 YEARS~

The first services were held in the newly completed building of the "Yankton Reformed Church" on February 18, 1962. On September 5, 1962 the church was renamed Riverview Park Reformed Church, derived from the name of that section of Yankton...the Riverview Park Addition.

On October 5, 2008 the Riverview Park Reformed congregation began the Sunday worship service at the original church home located at 19th and Burleigh Streets and then walked the 2 blocks to conclude the service at the new church home at 17th and Burleigh Streets. With this move the name was shortened to Riverview Reformed Church as we are no longer in the Riverview Park Addition.

TODAY AT 2:00 PM Yankton's Life Chain will be held today, Sunday, October 2, from 2:00-3:00 PM near the Knights of Columbus Hall (2700 Broadway) All are welcome to participate. Organizers of the Sioux Falls Life Chain graciously are allowing the group to use 300 Life Chain signs. The Life Chain should be non-political, and ecumenical. It consists of people standing along a roadway (Broadway) peacefully, prayerfully and respectfully holding signs for an hour+ that promote life and pray for an end to abortion. Bring a chair, water bottles, and anything you may need, depending on what the weather is like. People are welcome to pray/sing together out loud if you would like.

COMING EVENTS...This week at RRC

Today, Sunday, October 2

- 9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
- 9:30 AM Worship service in building and via: live stream
Mortgage Burning
- 10:45 AM Riverview Kids
- 10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

Monday, October 3

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
- 7:00 PM Boy Scouts

Wednesday, October 5

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class
- 6:00 PM Anger Management Class thru FECC
- 7:00 PM Youth Group at Christ the King

Friday, October 7

- 9:30 AM Women's Exercise Class

Next Sunday, October 9

- 9:15 AM Pre-Service Prayer time
- 9:30 AM Worship in building and live-stream
COMMUNION
Lay Leader—Dave Reck
Open/close Building - Weins
HyVee Cards—Gina Haak
Greeters—Colleen Palmer & Larsens
- 10:45 AM Riverview Kids
- 10:50 AM Adult Sunday School

LOOKING AHEAD:

- Sunday, October 9 - Ephesians 3:14—4:16
- Sunday, October 6 - Ephesians 6:10-20

A MONTHLY CALENDAR FOR EACH MONTH (which is normally printed and distributed in the Sunday bulletins) can also be found on the website page.

LIFE AT RRC

WEEKLY OFFERINGS:

September 4: Regular Offering - \$2553.84; Building - \$125.00
September 11: Regular Offering - \$2299.00; Building - \$40.00
September 18: Regular Offering - \$3601.70
September 25: Regular Offering - \$2887.00; Building - \$130.00, Missions - \$30.00
To fully support the budget, offerings need to average \$4100 weekly
(These amounts do NOT include offerings made thru on-line giving)

Don't forget—HyVee Cards...a fundraiser for the Building fund. HyVee cards are available during the week when the office is open, and from Chuck's Quik Stop. **HyVee Cards** are available on Sunday mornings before the worship service in the Foyer.

Beginning September 14, on Mondays and Wednesdays, Teresa will only be in the office until 3:00 PM. (Maybe an occasional other day, also)

RRC 60th Anniversary

Today, Sunday, Oct. 2, we will hold a special "mortgage" announcement.

ALSO Bibles will be presented to 3rd grade students (Communion for October will be held on Sunday, October 9.)

BE SURE TO CHECK OUT THE TABLES in the Fellowship Hall with picture albums and items from the past of RRC.

ALSO, please pick up a copy of the 60 Year Anniversary History printed.

ADULT SUNDAY SCHOOL

We are looking at doing a Dr. David Jeremiah series "The World of the End", but it isn't released until Oct. 4, so in the meantime, we are doing a CD series from David Jeremiah

Praise Song Leaders

There is a sign up on the foyer table for Praise song leaders,. If this is something you would be interested in helping out with on Sunday mornings, please sign the sheet..

LOOKING AHEAD TO OCTOBER

ERTH will be meeting here at RRC on the following Saturdays in OCTOBER: 15, 22, 29. They meet from 1:00—2:00 PM each Saturday afternoon. We need volunteers to open the church at 12:30 PM, help make juice, and serve the treats they provide, clean up and lock up by 2:30 PM on the **15th and 22nd**. If this is something you are willing to help with, please let the church know. Sharon Egge will be helping on Oct. 29.

Next Ministry Team meetings

are scheduled for Tuesday, October 18 at 7:00 PM

LADIES NIGHT OUT—

Thursday, October 20 at Silk Road In Vermillion. Meet at church at 5:10 PM to carpool. A sign up sheet is available on the foyer table...please sign up so the ladies know who will be carpooling.

Consistory Nomination Ballots for 2023

are in your church mailboxes. Please pick them up, circle up to 10 names of candidates you would like to see on consistory, and return to church by Sunday, October 9. There is a box on the foyer table for your ballots. Voting will take place November. 6

Mission for October

We will be collecting ANY warm clothing to donate to the United Way Clothing Closet. Any items should be new or gently used, and they are requesting warm clothing, such as sweaters, sweatshirts, jeans, socks, hats, mittens, scarves, coats, and for men, women and children. Donations can be brought to the church before or by Sunday, October 9 (Distribution at the Clothing Closet is October 13)

The First United Methodist Church

of Yankton will hold a Soup Kitchen on Tuesday, Oct 18 from 4:30 to 7:00 PM (11th & Cedar). Taverns, Soups & Pies will be served.